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Attorney Docket Number	31184
First Named Inventor	Lutgen, Joseph L.
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	10/672,602
Filing Date	September 26, 2003
Art Unit	3751
Examiner Name	To be assigned

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

NORMALLY HANDHELD INSTRUMENTS ALLOWING NORMAL FINGERTIP ACTIVITY

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 09/26/2003 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 10/672,602 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) N/A (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above..

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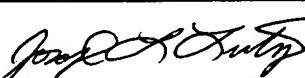
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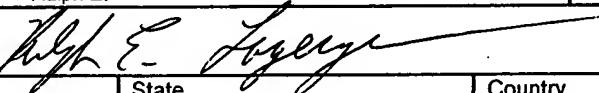
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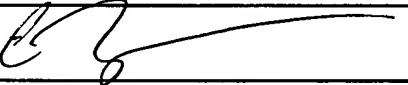
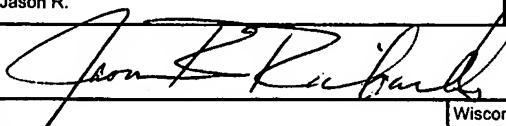


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DECLARATION**ADDITIONAL INVENTOR(S)
Supplemental Sheet**

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Art Unit	3751
Examiner Name	To Be Assigned
Attorney Docket Number	31184

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 Applicant/Inventor. Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Name	Cosipen, L.L.C., by James T. Wilson, its Chief Executive Officer		
Signature			
Date	1 MARCH 24, 2004	Telephone	(630) 416-2027

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: CoolPen, L.L.C., a Texas limited liability company

Application No./Patent No.: 10/672,602 Filed/Issue Date: September 26, 2003Entitled: NORMALLY HANDHELD INSTRUMENTS ALLOWING NORMAL FINGERTIP ACTIVITYCoolPen, L.L.C. , a Texas limited liability company
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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MARCH 24, 2004

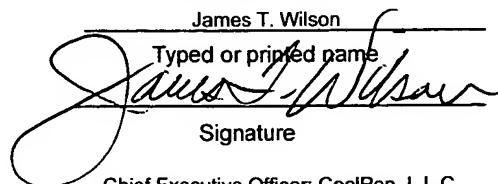
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Chief Executive Officer; CoolPen, L.L.C.

Title

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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION

Docket Number: 31184

WHEREAS, we, Joseph L. Lutgen of Centennial, Colorado; Ralph E. Lagergren of Alma, Kansas; John E. O'Mara of Wichita, Kansas; Eric S. Zeitlin of Baldwin, New York; and Jason R. Richards of West Bend, Wisconsin hereafter referred to as applicants, have invented certain new and useful improvements in Normally Handheld Instruments Allowing Normal Fingertip Activity; and

WHEREAS, CoolPen, L.L.C. of Dallas, Texas, hereafter referred to "assignee," whose mailing address is 3311 Oak Lawn Avenue, Suite 250, Dallas, Texas 75219, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00), the receipt whereof is acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, we, the applicants, by these presents, do sell, assign, and transfer unto said assignee the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States, and the entire right, title, and interest in and to any and all Patents which may be granted therefore in the United States. We hereby authorize and request the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to issue said United States Patents to said assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for its sole use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its legal representatives to the full end of the term for which said Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

Executed this 23 day of FEBRUARY, 2004

Carl D. Fritsch

Signature

Joseph L. Lutgen

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County of ~~ANAPACHE~~)

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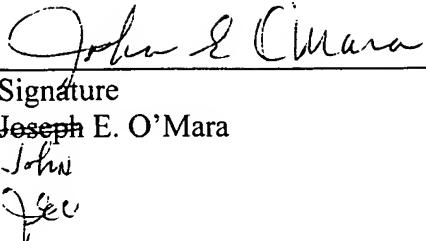
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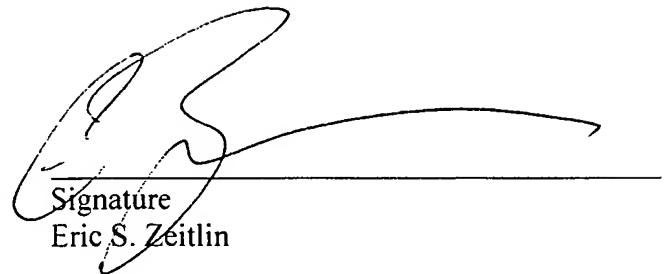
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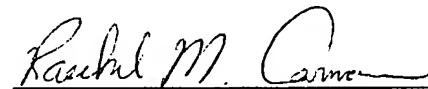
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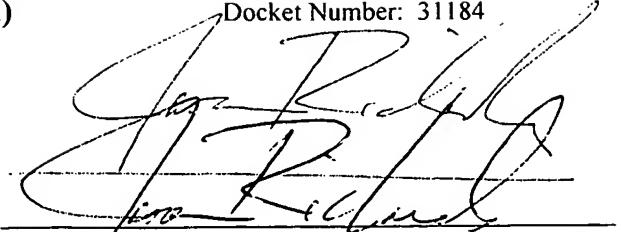
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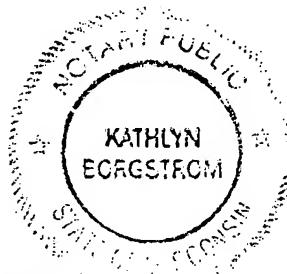
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